

IN THE SPECIFICATION

Page 1, before paragraph 4, insert the following new paragraph:

Such a lamp is illustrated in said U.S. Patent 5,744,900 and in the Figure herein which illustrates an incandescent lamp 10 having a light transmissive glass envelope 12 enclosing a filament 16. The filament 16 is electrically connected to and supported by lead-ins 18 which extend through the seal of the lamp (not shown) and are attached to the metal screw base 20. If desired, additional support for the filament may be provided by support wires 17. The interior of envelope 12 is coated with a coating 14.

Page 1, paragraph 5, please amend to read as follows:

In accordance with the invention, this object is achieved by an electric lamp which is provided with an electric light source in a light-transmitting bulb provided with a coating 14 comprising an inorganic colored pigment selected from the group formed by oxide nitride pigments of the general formula